

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. 09/922,412  
Confirmation No. 7272  
Applicant: Cantwell, Robert W.  
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Title: System and Method for Multiplexing Data from Multiple Ports  
Examiner: Roberts, Brian S.  
Art Unit: 2419  
Docket: 131105-1006  
Customer No.: 32914

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

**RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This paper is in response to the non-final Office action mailed October 28, 2008. Please amend the application prior to examination as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.